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TRANSMITTAL OF ISSUE FEE AND FORMAL DRAWINGS

Sir:

In response to the Notice of Allowance and Fee(s) Due mailed on January 21, 2004, transmitted herewith are the (1) Issue Fee Transmittal Form PTOL-85B; (2) Fee Transmittal; and (3) authorization to charge Deposit Account No. 50-1868 in the amount of \$1,360.00 to cover the (a) \$1,330.00 issue fee for a large entity, and (b) \$30.00 fee for ten (10) copies of the patent.

Also enclosed are nineteen (19) sheets of formal drawings, as previously filed on June 10, 2002. Although the Notice of Allowability mailed January 21, 2004 does not call for formal drawings to be submitted, there is no written record that the formal drawings filed June 10, 2002

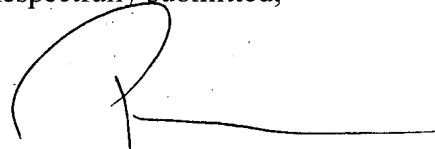
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have been either accepted or rejected. Applicants are therefore re-submitting the formal drawings with payment of the issue fee.

This application is not entitled to claim small entity status pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.27.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment in connection with this patent application to Deposit Account No. 50-1868.

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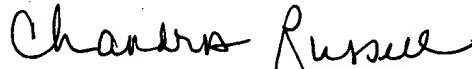
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I hereby certify that this Transmittal of Issue Fee and any documents referred to as attached therein are being deposited with the United States Postal Service on this date, March 30, 2004, in an envelope as "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" service under 37 C.F.R. § 1.10, Express Mail Label No. EL 717 745 492 US, addressed to Mail Stop Issue Fee, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.



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